Sunday, August 2, 2020

Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done. Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts. Psalm 105:1

THANK YOU to those who are serving us during worship today.

MUSICIANS: Jan Johnson & Angie Meester

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

Monday 7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting

Next Sunday 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Mary Vry who observing her 81st birthday on July 26.

Paul Bruns was air-flighted to University of Iowa Hospitals in Iowa City on Monday, suffering from a lower leg blood clot. Surgery was completed on Tuesday and he has been in Iowa City since. He is still unable to stand on the foot. There is no idea on when he will be able to return home. Please keep both Paul and Darlene in your prayers.

Please include Mark Rewerts, of New Hartford, in your prayers. He will begin chemo next week for leukemia. He is a close family friend of JoLynne Husz and is married to Larry Johnson's cousin Nanci.

Please remember those of our congregation who live alone and those alone in care facilities through a phone call or a card in these trying days.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will not be any coffee after the service this morning.

There will be no second offering next Sunday.

Keep saving the "Best Choice" bar codes from all those products that are sold at Brother's Market. That fundraising project is still going on. Thank you.

At the July 6 Council Meeting, it was decided to schedule a Congregational Meeting for Sunday, August 2, for the purpose of selecting new Elders and Deacons. It was also decided to move to a 3 x 3 Council format, reducing the size of the Council to 3 Elders and 3 Deacons. Council presents the following list of nominations for each position:

- Elder: One candidate will be chosen to serve a 3-year term:
 - **Candidates are:**
 - 1. Larry Johnson
 - 2. Kenny Meester
- Deacon: Two candidates will be selected. The first will serve a term of 2 years and the second will serve a term of 3 years.

Candidates are:

- 1. Mike Ascher
- 2. Harold Coplen
- 3. Joel Reints

If you would like to send your offerings in by mail, the church address is: Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church, 807 Grant St., Parkersburg, IA 50665

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Morning Service August 2, 2020 – 9:30 AM **WE COME NEAR TO GOD**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: TCH 61 Bless the Lord God Almighty

*Song: TCH 32 Be Exalted, O God

*God's Greeting

Old Testament Reading: Exodus 34:29-35

Song of Praise: TCH 56 To God Be the Glory

Reading from the Psalms: Psalm 99

*Hymn: TCH 640 **Sweet Hour of Prayer**

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering: 1) General Fund

2) Student Connection

Hymn: TCH 633 Open Our Eyes, Lord

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: Luke 9:28-36

Message: TRUE DEITY – PREPARING FOR DEPARTURE

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*Hymn: TCH 644 The Greatest Thing

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 62 Blessed Be the Lord God Almighty

*Postlude